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DEPARTMENT OF THE AIR PORCE UNITED STATES AIR FORCE WASHINGTON 25, D.C.

Attachment 2

TO: U.S. AIR FORCE BASE COMMANDERS

- 1. The bearer of this letter is engaged in a highly classified research program of the highest military interest. You will immediately take maximum precautionary measures to minimize public exposure of the aircraft. Names of personnel involved in this emergency will be recorded.
- 2. No information regarding this emergency will be released to the news media. If necessary, inquiries received for information will be referred to the Director of Information, Office of the Secretary of the Air Force, Washington, D. C.
- 3. You are requested to immediately telephone the unit Air Force Duty Officer at the following number:

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- b. Furnish him with the following:
- (1) Location and condition of the pilot and aircraft.
 - (2) Security of the aircraft.
 - (3) Assistance required.
- 4. Your careful attention to these instructions is vital to the national interest.

DEAN C. STROTHER
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